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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled CLINICAL ASSAY CALIBRATION ADJUSTMENT METHOD, the specification of which:

- is attached hereto.
 was filed on May 11, 2001 as Application Serial No. 09/853,867 and was amended on _____
 was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____ filed on _____
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e)(1) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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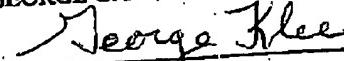
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